

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

MICHAEL F. SCHULZE,

Plaintiff,

vs.

FEDERAL BUREAU OF  
INVESTIGATION, et al.,

Defendants.

CASE NO. CV-F-05-0180 AWI LJO

DISCOVERY AND SCHEDULING ORDER

Deadline to Amend  
Pleadings:

July 14, 2006

Discovery Cutoff:

Dec. 18, 2006

Dispositive Motion

Filing Deadline: \_\_\_\_\_

January 20, 2007

On December 19, 2005, defendants filed their answer to plaintiff's amended complaint. On the basis of good cause, this Court opens discovery for this action and sets a schedule as follows:

1. Discovery requests shall be served by the parties pursuant to F.R.Civ.P. 5 and this Court's Local Rule 5-135 and shall be filed only when required by Local Rules 33-250(c), 34-250(c) and 36-250(c).
2. Responses to written discovery requests shall be due 45 days after the request is first served.
3. Pursuant to F.R.Civ.P. 30(a), defendants may depose plaintiff and any other witness confined in a prison upon condition that, at least 14 days before such a deposition, defendants serve all parties with the notice required by F.R.Civ.P. 30(b)(1).
4. If disputes arise about the parties' obligations to respond to requests for discovery, the

1 parties shall comply with all pertinent rules, including F.R.Civ.P. 5, 7, 11, 26 and 37 and  
2 this Court's Local Rules 11-110, 7-130, 7-131, 5-134, 5-135, 6-136, 43-140 and  
3 78-230(m). Unless otherwise ordered, Local Rule 37-251 shall not apply. A discovery  
4 motion that does not comply with all applicable rules will be stricken and may result in  
5 imposition of sanctions.

6 5. The deadline to amend pleadings is July 14, 2006.

7 6. All discovery and discovery motions (including motions to compel) shall be completed  
8 by or heard no later than December 18, 2006.

9 6. The deadline to serve and file pretrial dispositive motions is January 20, 2007.

10 8. **Extensions of time will only be granted on a showing of good cause.**

11 IT IS SO ORDERED.

12 **Dated: January 20, 2006**  
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/s/ Lawrence J. O'Neill  
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE